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  For: DIGITAL CAMERA
  Group Art Unit: 2612

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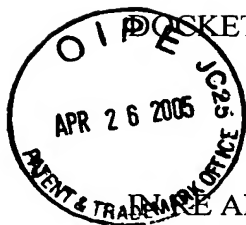MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

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The Patent Office is respectfully requested to inform the undersigned of the

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